Gilbert Torres

Gilbert Romero Torres, 48, of Pasadena, died Thursday, Sept. 14, 2000, in Pasadena. Born June 16, 1952, in Barstow, Torres lived in Pasadena 20 years. He was a self-employed printer for 28 years. Torres lived in Daggett for 20 years as well as New York for several years. He was a 1970 graduate of Kennedy High School. A member of Jehovah's Witnesses since 1971, he served at Bethel in New York for five years. He was an avid car collector who served as a volunteer restoring cars for the prestigious Petersen Museum. He was a recent participant in the EAS Physique Transformation Challenge. Survivors include his mother, Leonicia Torres of Daggett; six brothers, Froilan, Zeke, Nino, Arthur and Jerry Torres, all of Daggett, and Gerald Torres of Big Bear; two sisters, Frances Teasley of Helendale and Bernice Espinosa of Lovington, N.M.; and hundreds of other relatives including nieces, nephews and cousins. Visitation will be 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Mead Mortuary Chapel, 36930 Irwin Road. Services will be held 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, 2000, at Barstow Kingdom Hall, 27777 Rimrock Road. Private burial will follow. Published in the Daily Press on September 14, 2000